



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

App. no.: **10/649,885**

Conf. no.: **7827**

Applicant: **STACK, Thomas**

Art Unit: **2821**

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Examiner: **PHILOGENE,
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Date:

Atty. Docket **QTI.002**
no.:

Entitled: **Multiple failure detection shutdown
protection circuit for an electronic ballast**

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION INCLUDING AMENDMENTS

UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

AND

DISCLOSURE UNDER 37 CFR 1.78(f)

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In response to a Final Action mailed May 2, 2007, the applicant submits the following:

Specification begins on page 3 of this paper.

Claims are listed beginning on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

In addition, the applicant submits the following:

- 1 sheet – Transmittal Form, PTO SB/21;
- 1 sheet – Petition for Extension of Time, 3-months, PTO SB/22;
- 1 sheet – Fee Transmittal, PTO SB/17;

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4. 1 sheet – Listing of Commonly Owned Applications and Patents under 37 CFR 1.78(f), PTO form SB/206;
5. 1 sheet – Power of Attorney and Correspondence Address Indication Form, PTO SB/81;
6. 1 sheet – Credit Card Payment Form PTO 2038; and
7. Return receipt postcard.

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